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25X11. [redacted] southerly ballast wharf in Klaipeda [redacted] 25X1
 25X1 [redacted] This wharf was located just north of the Winter Harbor.

25X12. [redacted] the water depth at the wharf was 21 feet. The water depth in the Winter Harbor was supposed to be 22 feet. In the area inside the southerly ballast wharf, there were eight cranes. There were also two large coal cranes at the wharf; these cranes were electric and had a lifting capacity of 50 tons each. There was a railroad car on the wharf loaded with heavy machine parts. [redacted]

25X13. [redacted] a very high stack south of the Winter Harbor.

4. The harbor was for all practical purposes free of ice. [redacted] 25X1
 25X1 [redacted] An armored train was located in the area behind the northerly mole, in back of the leading light. This train had 11 cars, equipped with armament of various calibers. [redacted]

25X1 the gun calibers [redacted] between 8 and 10 centimeters. The cars were equipped with a tower-like construction at each end, and the guns were located in the middle of these constructions.

5. A Soviet cargo steamer was observed on the morning of 11 March [redacted] 25X1
 25X1 [redacted] The Soviet ship was sailing south by south-west [redacted]
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